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Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A conveying system with at least one conveying element (2), preferably a conveyor belt, with goods (3) conveyed on the same being delivered at the end of the conveying element (2) via an inclined sliding surface (4) to a container (1) situated beneath the conveying element (2), which container is preferably enclosed by a filling aid (9), and a horizontally movable flap (6) is provided which can be moved from a position closing the container opening to a position releasing the container opening, wherein the movable flap (6) in the position sealing the container opening can be pivoted to a position parallel to the inclined sliding surface (4) and is movably held in this position parallel to the sliding surface (4) in order to form a second sliding surface projecting into the container (1) and extending the inclined sliding surface (4).

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Claim 2 (Currently Amended): A conveying system according to claim 1, wherein the movable flap (6) reaches up to the a container floor (7) in its pivoted and extended state.

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): A conveying system according to claim 1, wherein the swiveling axis (8) of the movable flap (6) is has a swiveling axis situated directly adjacent to the an upper edge (5) of the container (1) and a lifting apparatus (13), preferably comprising a pneumatic cylinder, acts upon the same at the end region of the flap (6) averted from the container (1), which pneumatic cylinder causes the pivoting movement.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended): A conveying system according to claim 1, wherein the swivelable movable flap (6) is composed of two mutually displaceable, superimposed plate elements (11, 12) between which a displacing apparatus (10) is arranged which causes the relative movement between the two plate elements (11, 12).

Claim 5 (Previously Presented): A conveying system according to claim 4, wherein the displacing apparatus (10) is a pneumatic cylinder.

Claim 6 (Previously Presented): A conveying system according to claim 4, wherein the upper plate element (11) comprises at least partly a substantially U-shaped cross section whose base and legs define a hollow space with the surface of the other, lower plate element (12) in which the displacing apparatus (10) is arranged.

Claim 7 (Previously Presented): A conveying system according to claim 4, wherein merely the upper plate element (11) comprising the U-shaped cross section is movable into the container.